Reply of Government.—To the Deputy Commissioner for disposal.

Subject No. 87.. Certain P. W. D. projects.

Summary of discussion.—The following works should be ordered to be taken up by the Public Works Department :—

(1) The construction of a tank near Avergola ;

(2) Diversion of the water of Avergerehalla into the tank at Anekonda, and the strengthening of the tank bund ; and

(3) Construction of an Ané across the Tungabhadra near Bhairanpada.

Reply of Government.—These projects will be investigated by the Public Works Department.

Subject No. 88. Building-sites at Davangere.

Summary of discussion.—The question of allotting sites for building purposes beyond the railway fence at Davangere should be disposed of early.

Reply of Government.—100 feet of land will be given up ; more cannot be done.

Subject No. 89. Octroi-contract system.

Summary of discussion.—The collection of Octroi duty on cloths may be given out on contract for at least two years to start with.

Reply of Government.—This is against our policy.

Subject No. 90. Maffee timber licenses.

Summary of discussion.—Maffee licenses should be granted to intending builders of houses in the Davangere extension for cutting and removing unreserved timber and bamboos from District forests.

Reply of Government.—Impossible.

Subject No. 91. Munsiff and Asstt. Commissioner's Courts for Davangere.

Summary of discussion.—Early orders are solicited on the proposal to locate a Munsiff's Court and an Assistant Commissioner's Court at Davangere.

Reply of Government.—Under consideration.

Subject No. 92. Mention of pathways in survey maps.

Summary of discussion.—In many cases pathways though long existing have not been shown in the survey maps. The Taluk authorities should therefore be instructed to enquire into such cases and record their finding in the Khathewar against each Survey number.

Reply of Government.—No general order seems necessary ; each case will be dealt with on its own merits.

Subject No. 93. Malebennur forest.

Summary of discussion.—The reservation of the Malebennur forest may be withdrawn.

Reply of Government.—Change not really required for the convenience of the people.

Subject No. 94. Municipal cart tax.

Summary of discussion.—The recent orders of Government as regards the levy of cart tax on carts in Municipalities, though they belong to agriculturists, may be reconsidered.

Reply of Government.—The recent orders only cancelled an exemption wrongly enjoyed.